

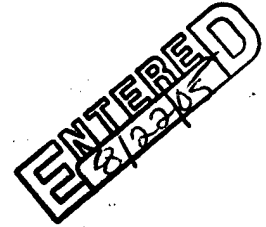
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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:)
Hiroto YOSHII, ET AL.)
Application No.: 10/001,974)
Filed: December 5, 2001)
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING)
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COMPUTER-READABLE)
MEMORY, AND PROGRAM)

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 13, 2005, please amend this application as follows: